

**ELKS** Follies end tomorrow; better attend while you have an opportunity.

# The Evening Herald

the cotton nuisance; enter praise for the forest service men.

TRIBUNE-CITIZEN,  
Vol. 26, No. 36.

ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO, FRIDAY, MARCH 24, 1916.

THE EVENING HERALD  
Vol. 5, NO. 309.

## FUNSTON THINKS STORY OF VILLA DEFEAT, TOLD BY MEXICANS, TRUE

American Commander Inclined to Credit Account of Battle Between American-Carranza Force and Outlaws.

### KEEN INTEREST SHOWN IN PLAN FOR CAPTURE

Advices Late Today From Pershing Say Nothing of Any Encounter With Bandit Who Raided Columbus.

By Evening Herald Leased Wire. San Antonio, Tex., March 24.—Reports from Mexican sources that Villa had been defeated by American-Mexican troops at El Oso, near Námiquipa, were accepted today by General Funston as probably true, although no confirmation by General Pershing had been received. Improvement in the working of the wireless made it appear likely that General Pershing would break his day of silence regarding operations south of Casas Grandes by rendering an account of the engagement at El Oso.

Keen interest was displayed at Fort Sam Houston in the report General Gavira announced that he had received from Casas Grandes since, it is understood many times, in the opinion of officers here, the chance for capturing Villa or catching him at a point where he must make his last fight.

Until now the operations against Villa have been nothing more than a campaign of location. Three cavalry detachments have been working southward along widely separated trails but the opportunity for direct chase now is offered, it was indicated by staff officers who have followed the details of the pursuit.

Here it was not believed that the Americans would allow Villa to get out of their sight again, and that his capture or death appeared more likely than that at any other time.

General Pershing, it was believed, would concentrate as many of his men as possible in the pursuing force, relieving those who have been riding the country south of Casas Grandes.

A request from General Petitchat for additional signal corps men for service along his main line of communication was received today at General Funston's headquarters but no direct report came of General Pershing's operations south of Casas Grandes. Company I of the signal corps has been sent from El Paso for service south of Columbus.

Excellent relief was manifest at General Funston's headquarters when it was learned that Colonel Letcher at Chihuahua had sent a denial of the reported defection of General Herrera.

## ELY ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY FOR GOVERNOR

Receiver of New Mexico Central Opposes Secundino Romero and H. O. Bursum for Gubernatorial Honors.

Santa Fe, N. M., March 24.—Ralph C. Ely, chairman of the Republican state central committee, today announced himself as a candidate for governor against Secundino Romero and H. O. Bursum. Ely is a resident of Durango but at present makes his headquarters in Santa Fe. He is leader of the New Mexico Central railway.

### AMERICANS LEAVING GOMEZ PALACIO AS FAST AS POSSIBLE

By Evening Herald Leased Wire. Gomez Palacio, Durango, March 23—via El Paso Junction, March 24.—Nine members of the American colony left today for Monterrey on a heavily guarded train and the balance of the colony are making arrangements to leave at the earliest opportunity. Today's party probably will make their way from Monterrey to Laredo. In the party were Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Menzies, Miss and Mrs. Washington Hall, Mrs. Conner and her child, Charles Wulf, G. R. Washington and George H. Pound.

The people of Durango are showing no disposition to make any move at present.

## Both Fighters Are Ready for Clang of Gong Tomorrow Night

Willard Non-committal but Apparently Has No Apprehensions as to Outcome; Moran on Edge.

### CHALLENGER IN BEST OF FINE CONDITION

Arrangements and Ticket Sales Indicate Greatest Crowd That Ever Assembled in New York City.

### UNCERTAINTY THE SALIENT FEATURE OF TAMPA EVENTS

(By Evening Herald Leased Wire). Washington, March 24.—First hand advices from Tamayo, where the situation has been causing alarm, came today to the state department reporting conditions uncertain. The garrison seems in control of the situation. Some 2,000 Americans, the dispatch said, could pass through there if they left Mexico.

## Carrancistas Closing In for Struggle With Villa Bandits

With Aid of Americans, It Is Expected Outlaws Will Be Exterminated or Captured. Says Mexican Report.

### REVOLT OF HERRERA AGAIN GETS DENIAL

Embargo on Explosives Halts Operations of Mining Company in Sonora, Putting Many Out of Work.

(By Evening Herald Leased Wire). Douglas, Ariz., March 24.—General Elias Calles, military governor of Sonora, received a telegram today from General Enriquez, military governor of Chihuahua, stating that five columns of Carranza troops were closing in on Villa and his bandits near Námiquipa and that, with the aid of the Americans it was believed that Villa would not be able to escape.

Moran, on the other hand, has reached the keen fighting edge which all trainers contend is necessary in a boxer who is to be at his best when he goes at an opponent. The Pittsburgh pugilist is keyed to the point where he is brimming over with fighting spirit and confidence. He can hardly wait for the hour that will call him into the ring. He shows the tension under which he labors when he is asked over and over again by thoughtless admirers "How do you feel?" and "What do you think will be the result?"

At such times it is evident that it requires considerable control for Moran to hold himself in check. He replies with the same confidence, "I'll win," that he has been using for the past three weeks, and seeks to avoid further annoyance by turning away. Among the close group of trainers who have helped to round Moran into shape he is more communicative and discusses over and over again his plans for overpowering his gigantic opponent. That he will accomplish this feat appears to be a foregone conclusion with Moran. So confident is he of defeating Willard, either on points or a knockout, that he has engaged quarters at a local hotel for a reception to be held immediately after the bout on Saturday night. When someone called his attention to the fact that Jim Jeffries did the same thing at Reno in this before his fight with Jack Johnson and never entered the upper hall, Moran simply remarked that it would be different this time.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Sixty cases of rifle cartridges were turned over to Lee G. Lefevere, colonel here of the de facto government today by an express company and later were delivered to General Calles at Agua Prieta. Each case contained one thousand rounds.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore.

Colonel Lefevere stated that he also

endeavored to have the American customs authorities lift the ban imposed recently on the exportation of dynamite to Sonora, sufficient to allow the Democratic Mining company at Cananea to obtain a new supply of explosives. One thousand employees of the mine, he said, will be thrown out of employment within a few days unless the company can obtain the dynamite needed in blasting for ore